

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SF, SOPN

SUBJECT: TO THE POINT INTERNATIONAL

"TO THE POINT INTERNATIONAL" IS KNOWN TO HAVE FINANCIAL  
BACKING OF PRIVATE GROUPS IN SOUTH AFRICA AND IS STRONGLY  
BELIEVED TO BE FINANCED IN PART BY SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT.  
MAGAZINE HAS PRO-WHITE BIAS AND TRIES TO PRESENT POSITIVE  
IMAGE OF SOUTH AFRICA. IT IS NOT BLATANT IN SUPPORTING  
APARTHEID, HOWEVER, AND GENERALLY TAKES LOW KEY APPROACH IN  
REPORTING ON AFRICA. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
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**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
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**Concepts:** REPORTS, MAGAZINES  
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**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
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